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FOLLOWING REPEAT USNATO 4660 ACTION SECSTATE, SECDEF AUG 26, 1976

QUOTE C O N F I D E N T I A L USNATO 4660

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MPOL, NATO

SUBJ: JEANMAIRE AFFAIR

IN ORDER TO RESPOND TO POSSIBLE QUESTIONS FROM NATO COLLEAGUES  
OR PRESS, REQUEST ASSESSMENT OF, AND PRESS GUIDANCE FOR,  
FOLLOWING STATEMENT IN STORY ON JEANMAIRE AFFAIR APPEARING  
ON PAGE 8 OF THE INTERNATIONAL EDITION OF NEWSWEEK FOR AUGUST  
30 1976: "BECAUSE SWITZERLAND'S SOPHISTICATED AIR DEFENSES  
ARE HIGHLY DEPENDENT ON WESTERN SYSTEMS, WESTERN INTELLIGENCE  
AGENCIES WERE CONCERNED THAT NATO SECRETS MIGHT HAVE BEEN  
LEAKED TO SOVIETS. STRAUSS-HUP UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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